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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the notice of non-compliant amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 mailed June 16, 2004, in the subject patent application. Below is the amendment mailed by Applicants on April 2, 2004, with corrections as requested by the Examiner. The specific changes which have been made are as follows:

- 1) The text which is being replaced at page 4, line 11 is now displayed and marked.
- 2) The statement directing the deletion of the source code listing beginning at page 23, line 18 and ending at page 25, line 11 has been corrected.
- 3) The claim listing is on its own sheet of paper, beginning with page 6 of the Amendment.

4) A marking has been made that "as" in claim 6 has been added to the claim.

In response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2003, Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendment and Remarks/Arguments. Also enclosed is a Computer Program Listing Appendix, enclosed on two identical CD's and an accompanying Transmittal Letter for that Appendix, as well as a Supplementary Information Disclosure Statement and references cited thereon. In addition, a Petition for Extension of time is hereby submitted. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-1445.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begins on page 8 of this paper and includes attached drawing sheets 1-4.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

An Appendix including drawing Figure sheets 1-4 is attached following page 12 of this paper.